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A statement under statute 42 U.S.C. 2182 has been filed in the above-identified application. Copies of the statement and required application papers are forwarded herewith.

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This application has been reviewed and from the information at hand you are hereby advise that the U.S. Department of elgy will not file a directive in this case.

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